

**WOODBURY
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

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Weekly Notice – Friday, May 28, 2010

Greetings Woodbury Parents:

We are wrapping up an unusually hot week for the end of May. As we look forward to the final days of school I want to remind you of a few important items and events:

- 1) There will be no all school morning meeting on Tuesday, June 1.
- 2) All school morning meeting on Tuesday, June 8 will be a time for the school community to meet your new Principal, Stephanie Baranyay. Please stop by if you can and welcome Stephanie to the Woodbury School Community.
- 3) Our final all school morning meeting on June 15 will be a light breakfast and an opportunity to say good bye to our teacher friend, Joan Eldred. Please plan to join us in wishing Joan well as she retires from Woodbury Elementary School.
- 4) Our field trip to IROC is set for June 9. **Signed permission slips are coming in, however we need them returned by WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2.**
- 5) Please read all the inserts in the newsletter this week, especially regarding the PTO Field Days planned for the morning of June.
- 6) Our very warm weather has brought with it some challenges regarding appropriate dress for school. Please review the attached dress code reminder included in this newsletter. We need everyone's cooperation to maintain a safe, respectful, and responsible school climate!

Have a great, sunny and relaxing Memorial Day Weekend!

Sincerely,

Sharon Fortune
Principal

PTO News
Field Day & BBQ June 11th

The Woodbury PTO has been busy planning for an all-school field day on June 11 from 8:15-11:45. We will be **playing games all morning and some of them involve water!**

- Children should come to school with:
- Towel
- Appropriate swimsuit
- A plastic bag for wet suits
- Change of clothes (including underwear)
- Water bottle
- Healthy snack
- Please apply sunscreen **before** coming to school to avoid sunburn.

In case of rain, we will have an abbreviated field day inside.

Listed below are several items that will be needed for the morning's activities. If you have any of the following items and you don't mind us borrowing them, please contact Gretchen Casey at 456-8848.

1. 8 beanbags or "Beanie Babies"
2. 8 Frisbees
3. 8 potato sacks
4. Tug of war ropes
5. Sound system
6. Black plastic for the water slide
7. Hand held megaphone

Finally, we would love your help. If you can come for any or all of the time, please do!

LIBRARY ANNOUNCEMENT

As the school year draws to a close, the library is also tying up loose ends. Overdue notices will go out May 28 to any student with a book that has been out for more than 2 weeks. Please do your best to find these books and return or Renew them! The Following week, June 4, I will send bills home for the overdue books that have still not been returned. Thank you for your help in ensuring that all our library resources get returned to the library.

If your child has overdue books out, there will be no more checkouts starting in June. If your Child's account is up to date, students may continue to check books out. Remember that the library is open through the summer, and that Bob will have a children's summer reading program on Monday afternoons. Thank You!

Mrs. O'Connell

Appropriate School Dress

(from the Woodbury School Handbook)

We believe that the primary responsibility for choosing clothing to be worn to school lies with the students and parents, based upon their own personal taste and sense of style. However, we ask that parents support the school by choosing clothing which maintains a suitable environment for learning and does not create interference in the classroom. There are certain articles of clothing and accessories which are prohibited during school hours or at school events:

1. items that advertise, promote or depict alcohol, tobacco and/or illegal substances;
2. items which display vulgar, offensive or demeaning language;
3. hats of any kind in the school buildings (except in special circumstances).

We also urge parents to guide their children in choosing clothing which does not disrupt or distract from the educational setting. Examples of such clothing are articles which are revealing or expose the torso such as halter tops, belly shirts, spaghetti straps, super short skirts or shorts, and see-through mesh shirts.

Staff will refer any cases of possible unsuitable dress to the Principal. The Principal will then discuss the matter with the parents as soon as possible. The school may also provide the student with alternative clothing on a temporary basis. In cases of disagreement, parents have the right to take the matter to the School Board for final resolution.

Students should also bring sneakers on Physical Education days.